Early Flight

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1. Early Flight

Title: Early flight

Type: One-shot

Pairing: Hiccup/Astrid

Astrid walked into the dragon training academy beside Stormfly, her Nadder. Immediately she saw Hiccup writing something new he discovered in the book of dragons oblivious that she just entered the academy. Stormfly went next to Toothless to get some more sleep while Astrid started walking in Hiccup's direction stopping right in front of him. Astrid smiled at the sight in front of her.

Hiccup was still writing something in the book. He looked just so _cute_.

'Stop it Astrid' she mentally scolded herself.

"Hiccupâ€¦" she merely whispered

Hiccup jumped in surprise. He closed the book and as he looked up he found himself staring into Astrid's eyes.

Her beautiful ocean blue eyes.

"A-Astrid" Hiccup stuttered

"Hiccup. Hi."

"Hi" Hiccup said as he gave her a toothy grin

"What are you doing here. The sun's barely risen" Hiccup asked her never looking away from her eyes.

"I came to train. What are you doing here?" Astrid asked with a smile that matched Hiccup's

"Came to observe" He told her as he got up from the bench he was sitting on breaking his and Astrid's staring contest.

"Ohh to _observe_" Astrid mocked him

"Plus I couldn't really sleep" Hiccup told her.

"Me neitherâ€¦" Astrid confessed.

"How about me and you take a flight?" Hiccup asked her out of the blue.

"Right now?"

"Yes Astrid. Right now!" Hiccup said clearly exited.

"But it-it's barley morning like you said and-and wouldn't that be weird? Y'know. Me. You. Missingâ€¦" Astrid told him suddenly finding her boots intresting.

"_Oh c'mon Astrid_" Hiccup whined already buckling up on Toothless.

"Wellâ€¦okay" Astrid gave in

How could she say no to that face?

Astrid hopped on Stormfly's saddle and followed Hiccup.

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At first it was like a game of follow the leader. Hiccup leaded the way and Astrid followedâ€¦that is until she decided to tease him. She would be behind him when all of a sudden Hiccup found her flying next to him at times even passing him by just a little until he realizes what she's doing and goes faster than her . Then it turned into a competition seeing which trainer could do the best trick.

Hiccup won.

By just a _little _though.

Somehow they ended up on Dragon Island. They hopped off their dragons letting them rest while Hiccup took out some food and water he put in a bag attached on Toothless saddle just in case they ever got lost and were stranded on an island.

Hiccup and Astrid sat on a log that must have been knocked over in a storm or by the wind; after all Berk was well-known for its harsh weather.

They nibbled on the bread and drank in silence until Hiccup decided to break the silence.

"Soâ€¦ you told me earlier that you couldn't sleep. Would you like to talk about it?" Hiccup asked unsurely.

"I've-I've been having nightmares. The same one. Over and over again" Astrid said her voice grew in sadness andâ€¦fear?

No. Astrid Hefferson was never scared. She was fearless just like her uncle fearless Finn. I mean they didn't call him fearless for nothing? Right?

Right.

"What's the dream about?"

Astrid hesitated but answered "I'm on a boat in the middle of the sea. It's dark and I can't see anything. Then all of a sudden I'm in a cell. My arms and legs are tied up and I can't even move a muscle. Then I hear this laugh. It's-it's so familiar yet..so strange."

"Astrid, Astrid look at me" Hiccup gently lifted her head up so he could see those ocean blue eyes once again.

"Astrid I know I'm not the toughest or strongest person in Berk in fact I'm pretty sure you would be safer with a Yak by your side, but if someone tries to hurt you they'll have to get through me first." Hiccup told her in all seriousness.

Astrid was well known for her snappy comeback's but right now she was absolutely speechless.

"Hiccupâ€¦" she tried to say something but to no avail. Never in a million years did she ever think that Hiccup would ever say that to her. Imagined it?

Maybe

But last time Astrid checked this is reality not a dream or at leastâ€¦she hoped.

"Hiccupâ€¦" she said again his graze never leaving her.

"Astrid I love you." He sounded so sure of himself.

She was definitely speechless now.

"Hiccup I love you too" She finally answered after what seemed like a decade to Hiccup.

Hiccup smiled and so did Astrid and before she knew it Hiccup was kissing her. She definitely was surprised by his action because usually she's the one that kisses him. Not that's she's complaining of course. No. No complaining here.

Hiccup broke the kiss when Astrid grabbed his green tunic collar and kissed him more passionately than ever.

"Astrid we _mphh _as much as I'm loving this we need to get back to Berk." Hiccup said in between kisses.

Astrid eventually let go and as they were making their way to their dragons Hiccup sneakily intertwined his fingers with Astrid's. This earned him a heart melting smile from Astrid and a kiss on the cheek before she climbed on the saddle and flew off without waiting for him and yelled "Loser gets to kiss the winner"

2. Midday Flight

Title: Midday Flight

Type: Two-shot (for now anyway)

Pairing: (older) Hiccup/Astrid. Stoick's dead here.

Astrid hopped down from Stormfly and went to find Hiccup who, wasn't that hard to find. She found him hammering a piece of metal in the forge. She called out his name but he didn't hear her so she tapped him lightly on the shoulder causing him to drop his hammer on his good foot.

"Thor's beard!" he cried in pain as well as shock.

He turned around ready to give the person who made him drop his hammer a piece of his mind but his plan fell as he saw who the person was.

"Astrid. . . hey" He told her sheepishly.

"Sorry Hiccup, I didn't mean to startle you." Astrid apologized.

"It's fine"

"So.. . what are you doin'?" she asked curiously trying to look behind him.

"A surprise" he told her as he pulled her gently by her waist.

"Aw please?" she whined.

"You'll find soon enough" he told her as he held her hand and walked out of the forge. In return she intertwined her fingers with his, who then gave her a smile that made her heart melt.

"Where we going?" she asked

"Aren't we curious today?" he told her teasingly.

"Answer meeeee" she pleaded.

Hiccup suddenly stopped making Astrid stop with him.

"Hmm. . . let's go on a dragon ride" he told her

Astrid groaned "Last time me and you went on a dragon ride together I got grounded for a week."

Hiccup blushed "We only went for a ride together."

"I know" she smirked at him only to make Hiccup go redder.

"Soâ€¦ dragon ride it is?" he asked hopefully

"Yeah let's go- wait." She said

"What's wrong?" asked Hiccup.

"RACE YOU!" Astrid yelled as she sprinted towards Stormfly

"Oh I see how it's going to be" Hiccup yelled after her as he made his way to Toothless.

Astrid reached Stormfly first but Hiccup was already flying on Toothless when she finally rode on Stormfly's back. Since Astrid had no idea where Hiccup was going she instructed Stormfly to just follow them.

Astrid flew in peace for a while until Hiccup though it was funny to disappear in a cloud of fog. Astrid looked around for a while until she decided that she was hopelessly lost. She called out for Hiccup but he didn't answer her.

"Hiccup this is not funny" she yelled into the void only to hear her voice echo in the distance. She was about to try going back where she came from until a shadow caught her eye.

"Hiccup?" she whispered.

The shadow came back again closer and bigger than ever. Suddenly she didn't feel so scared.

"Hiccup" she called teasingly

"Actually it's Snoutlout " A completely different voice answered her.

"Snoutlout? Did you see Hiccup by any chance?" she questioned him trying not to sound too irradiated.

"No. But if you're lost I know the way back. "

"No it's fine I need to find Hiccup"

"Alright then" he said and without a word he flew away.

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Astrid sighed as she unsaddled Stormfly. She spended her entire day trying to find that idiot but to no avail. Now the skies are darkening.

She put her hand on the door handle when a familiar voice interrupted her.

"Astrid!"

"Hiccup! Where have you been I've been looking for you everywhere!" she half yelled at him as she made her way towards him.

"I know I'm sorry I just needed to do something _really _important" he apologized. He grabbed her hand and gave her a kiss on it.

She let out little giggle. (For Thor's sake he has made her go soft)

"Astrid" He whispered

"Yes?"

"Marry me" he asked her as he pulled out the most beautiful ring Astrid had ever seen.

She let out a gasp with surprise.

"Hiccup" she said as tears started to form in her eyes.

"I've been working on it in the forge all day andâ€¦" he started rambling

"Hiccup, Yes yesyesyes a million times yes" Astris responded with happiness.

"I'm glad you like i-mmph" Hiccup started rambling again but was interrupted with a kiss from Astrid

Astrid didn't want to let Hiccup go but she had to when oxygen was needed.

"God I love you" Hiccup said between breaths.

"I love you too."

Astrid gave him one last kiss before she speeded off back to her house.

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Astrid ran up to her room ignoring her mother's question about her day had been and closed the door behind her.

She leaned against the now closed door and closed her eyes to think about what just happened.

Hiccup just asked her to marry her. Hiccup just asked _her to marry him._

Astrid Haddock. She liked the sound of _that._

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Hiccup slowly made his way to his house. He entered quietly not wanting to wake up his sleeping mother or at least he thought. Instead found her knitting (or at least trying to) near the fire.

"Mum you're still up?" Hiccup questioned his mother in disbelieve

"Yes, I'm afraid I haven't gotten used to the bed" she said with a hint or humour

"Well, um I guess yu should know that I've asked Astrid to marry me" Hiccup stuttered awkwardly

"That's wonderful!" Valka exclaimed as she gave her son a hug.

"Yeah . . . Dad really liked her" he told her with a sad expression

"Really?"

"Yeah he used to tell everyone that Astrid's going to be his daughter-in-law someday" Hiccup chuckled at his father's behavior

"I guess he was right"

"Yes he was"

"I just wish he was here"

"Me too. He'd be happy"

"I know he would"

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